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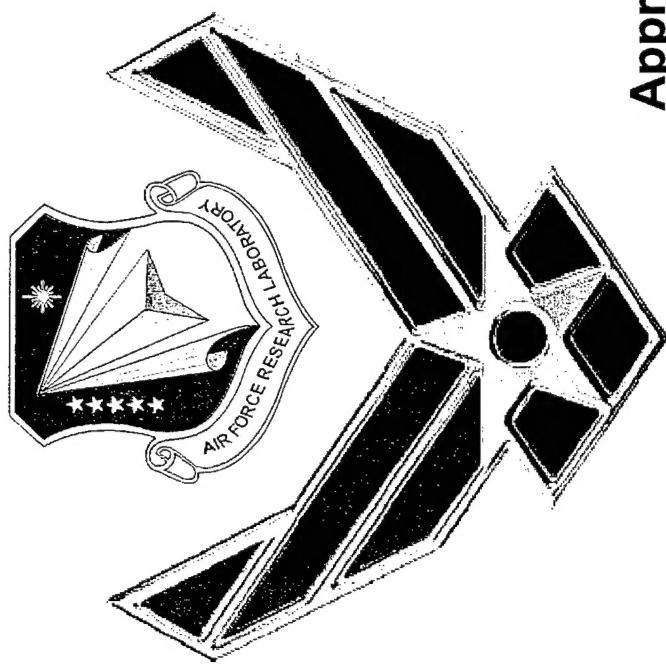
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# Investigating the Strain Rate Effects on Cumulative Damage in a Highly Filled Polymeric Material

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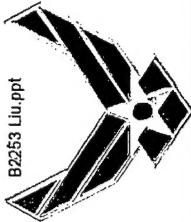
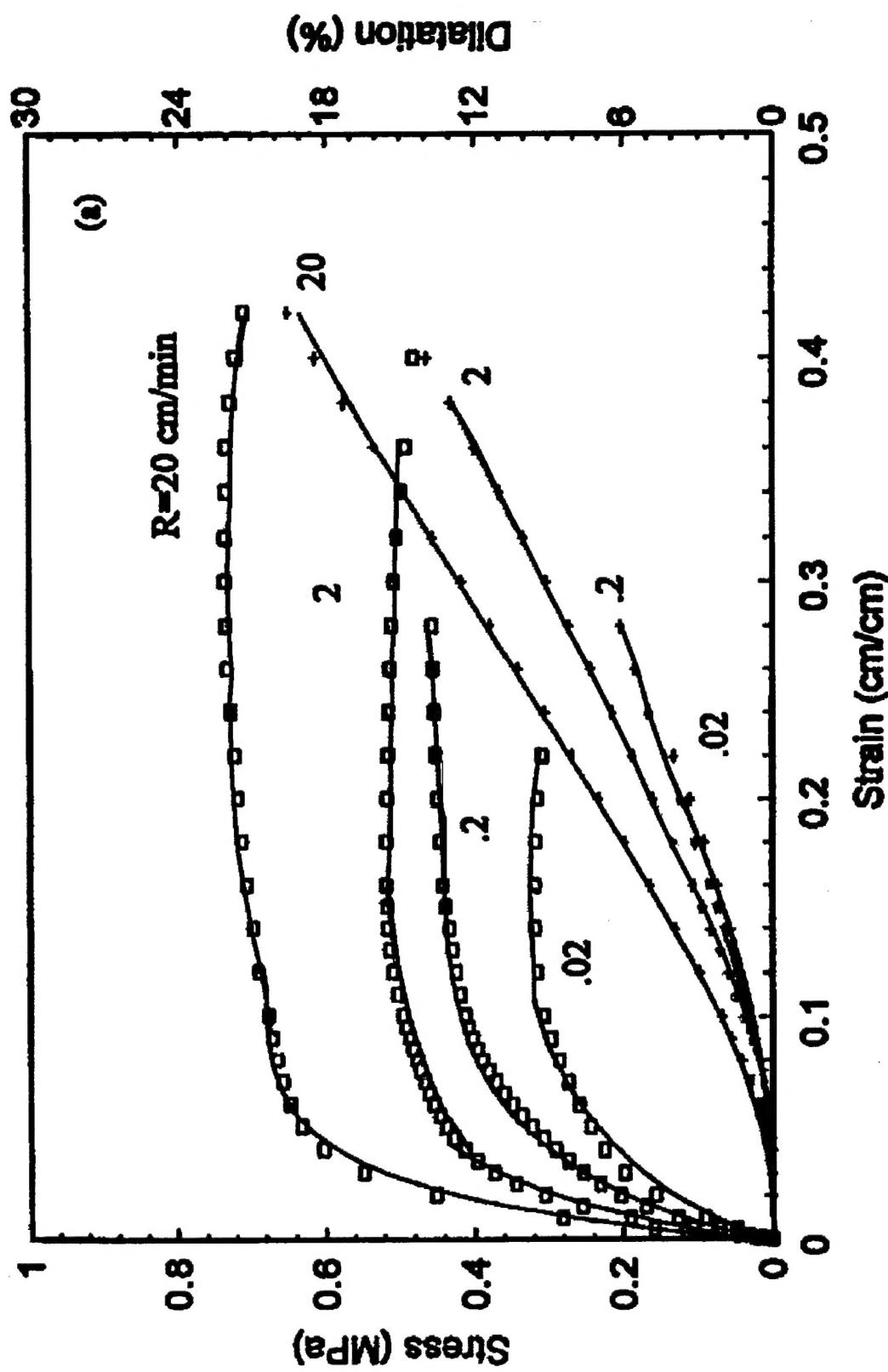


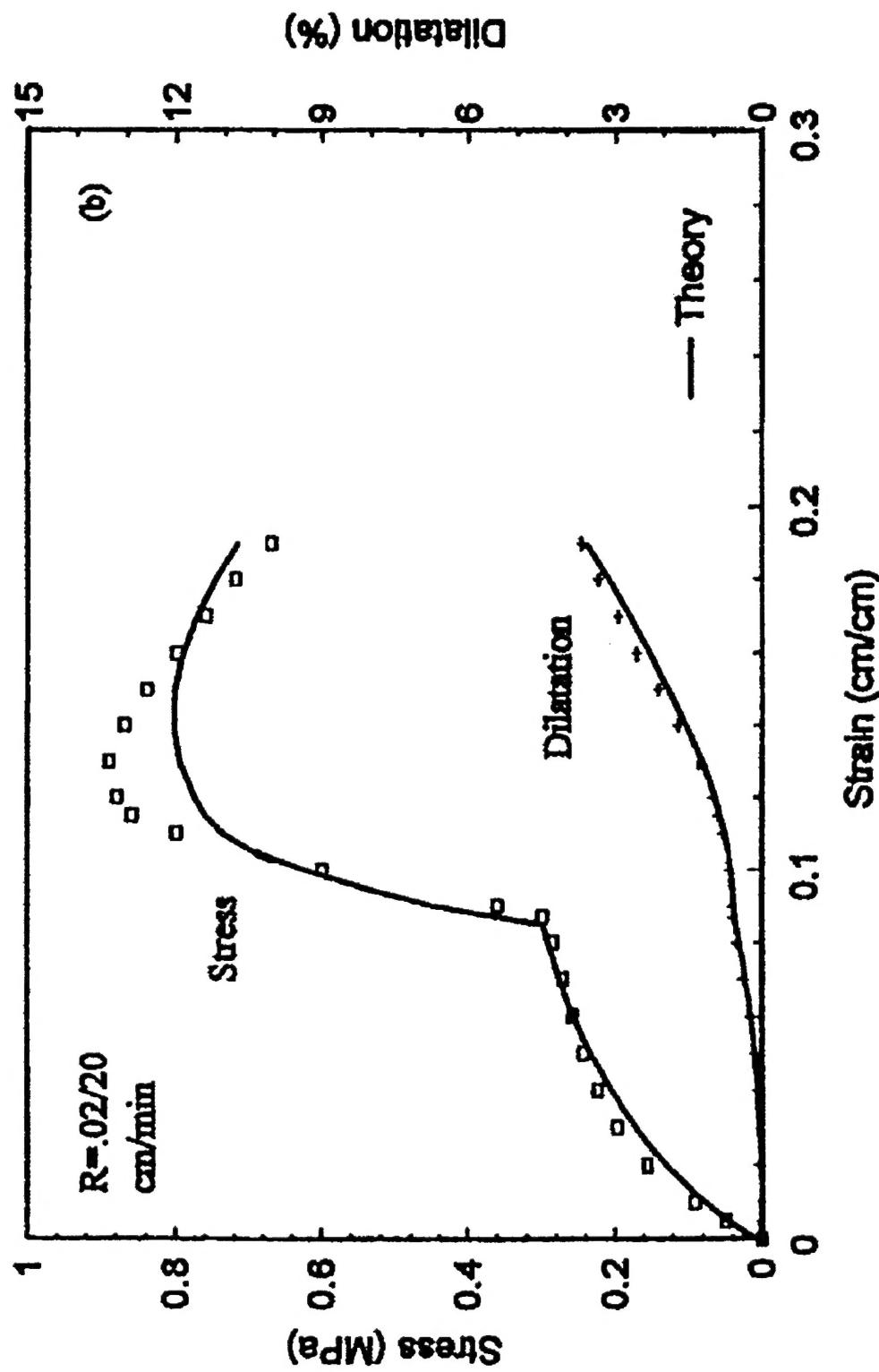
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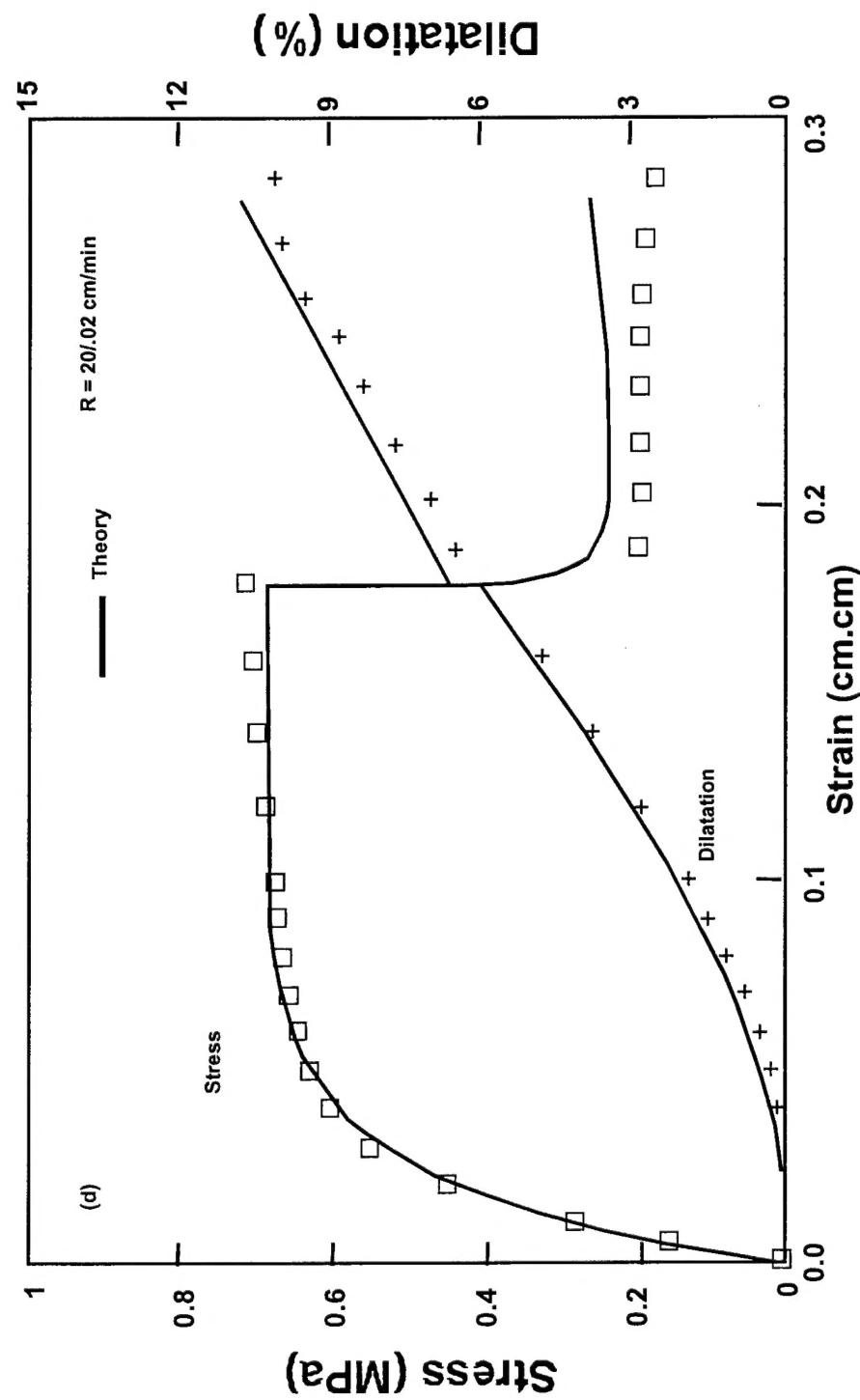
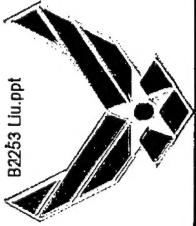


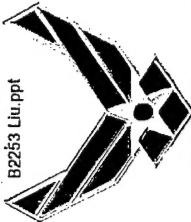
# Objective:

- Investigate Cumulative Damage in a Highly Filled Polymeric Material under Constant and Dual-Displacement Rate Loading Conditions.
  - Constant Displacement Rates: 0.02, 0.2, 2, 20 cm/min
  - Dual-Displacement Rate:
    - 0.02 cm/min – 20 cm/min
    - 0.2 cm/min – 20 cm/min
    - 20 cm/min – 0.02 cm/min







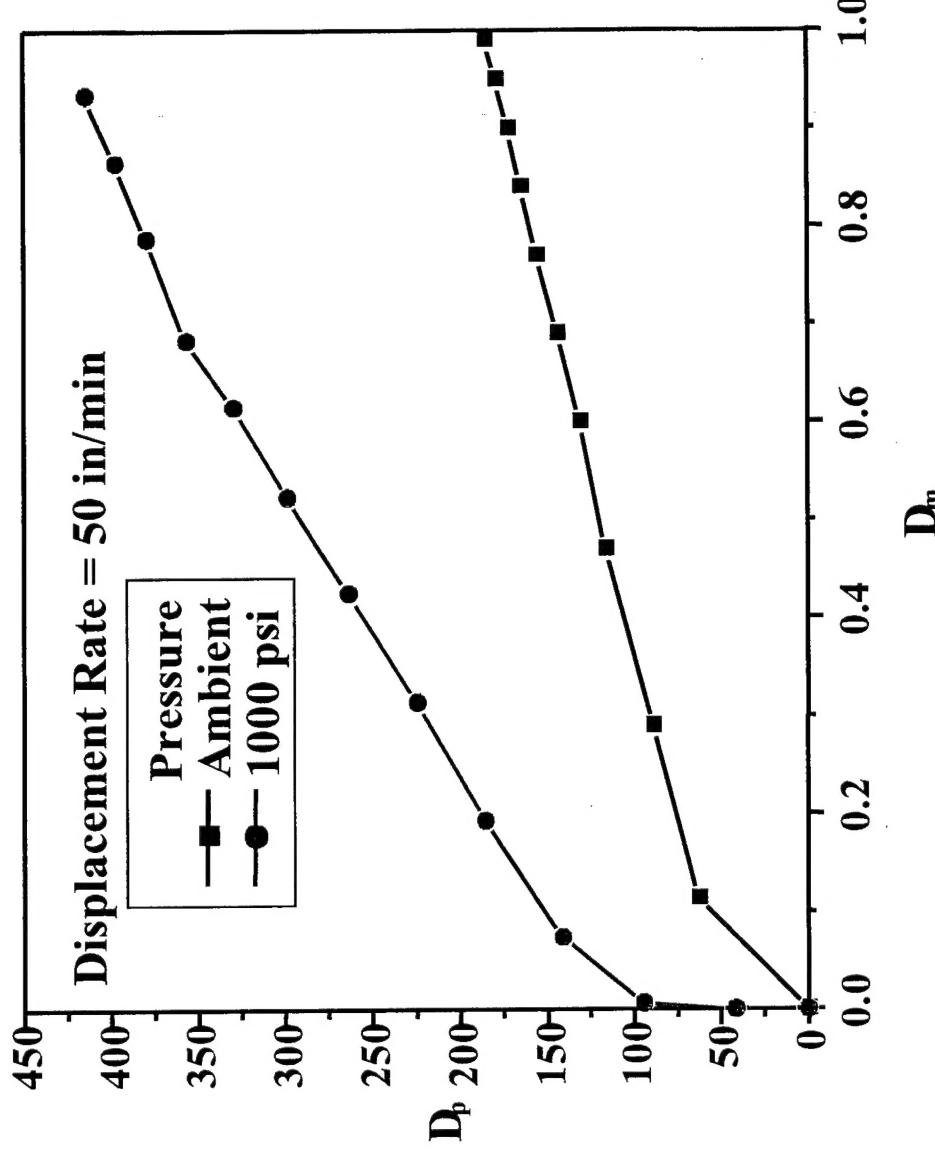


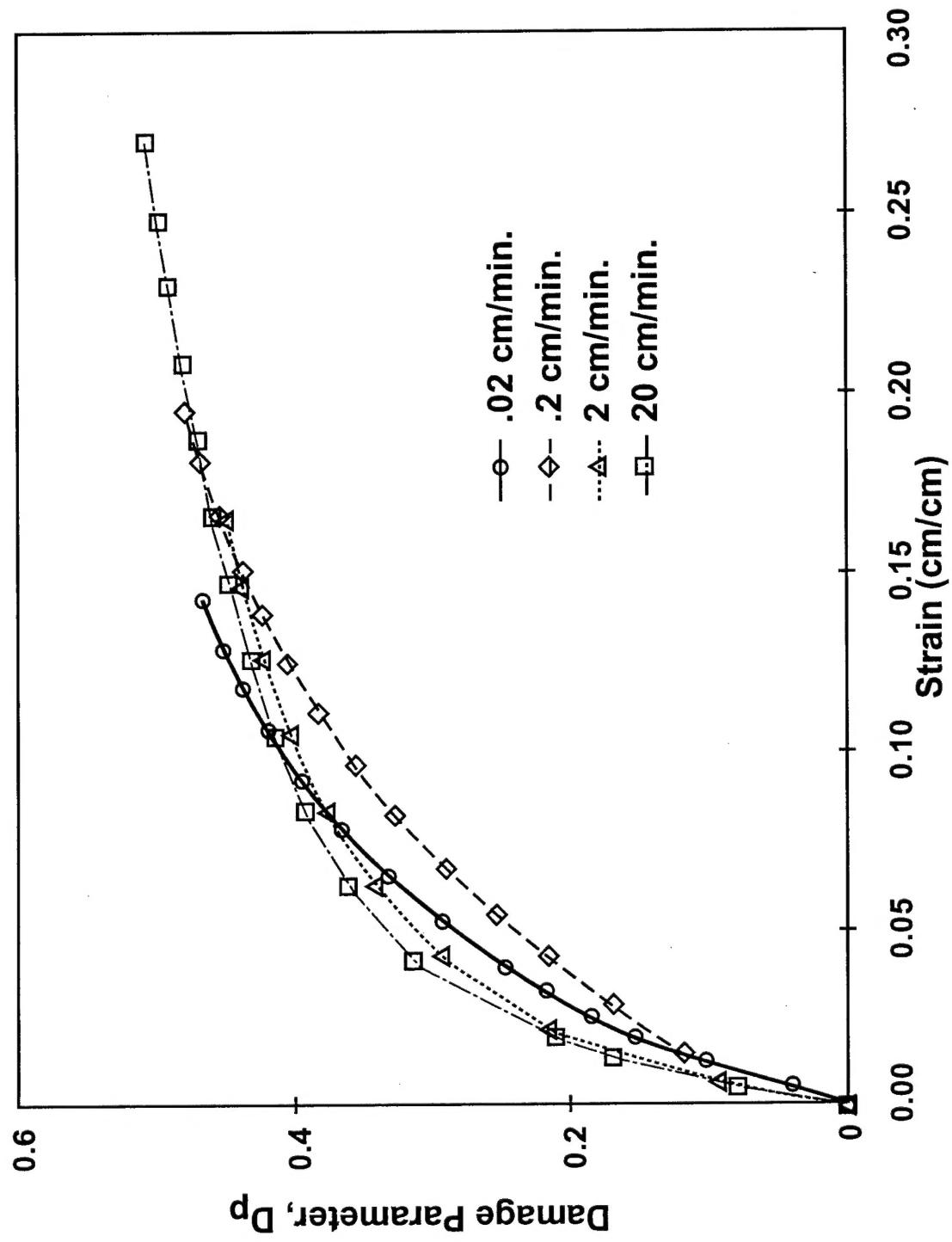
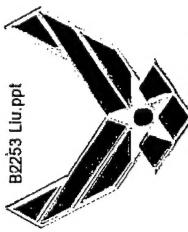
Phenomenological Damage Parameter  $D_p$ :  $D_p(t) = \left[ \int_0^t \sigma^{\beta} dt \right]^{1/\beta}$

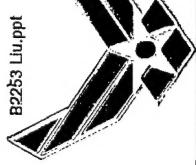
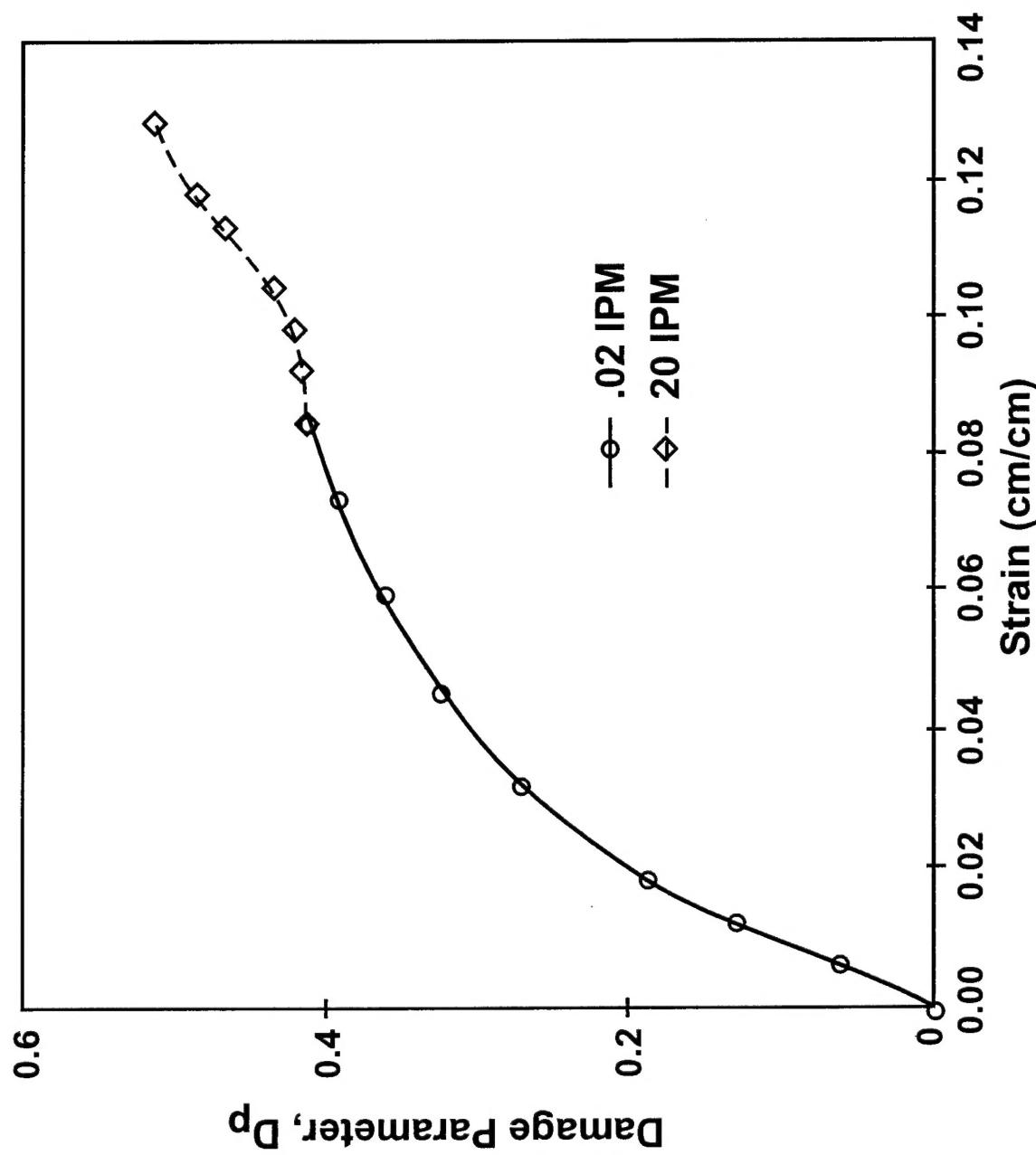
Micromechanics Damage Parameter  $D_m$

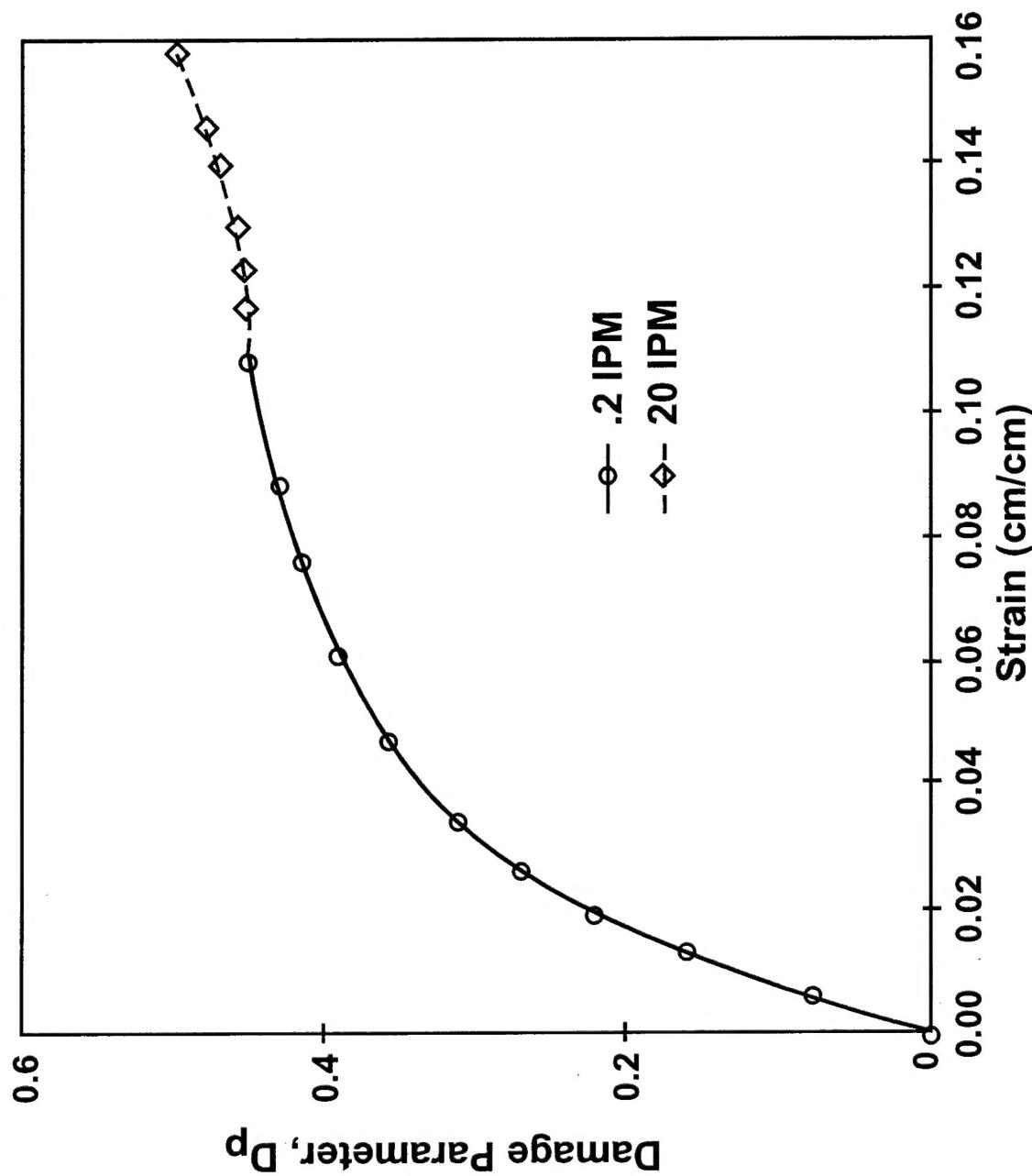
Damage Potential Function:  $F = f(\varepsilon_{ij}) - K$

Damage Evolution Law:  $dD_m/dt = [dK/dt] g(\varepsilon)$



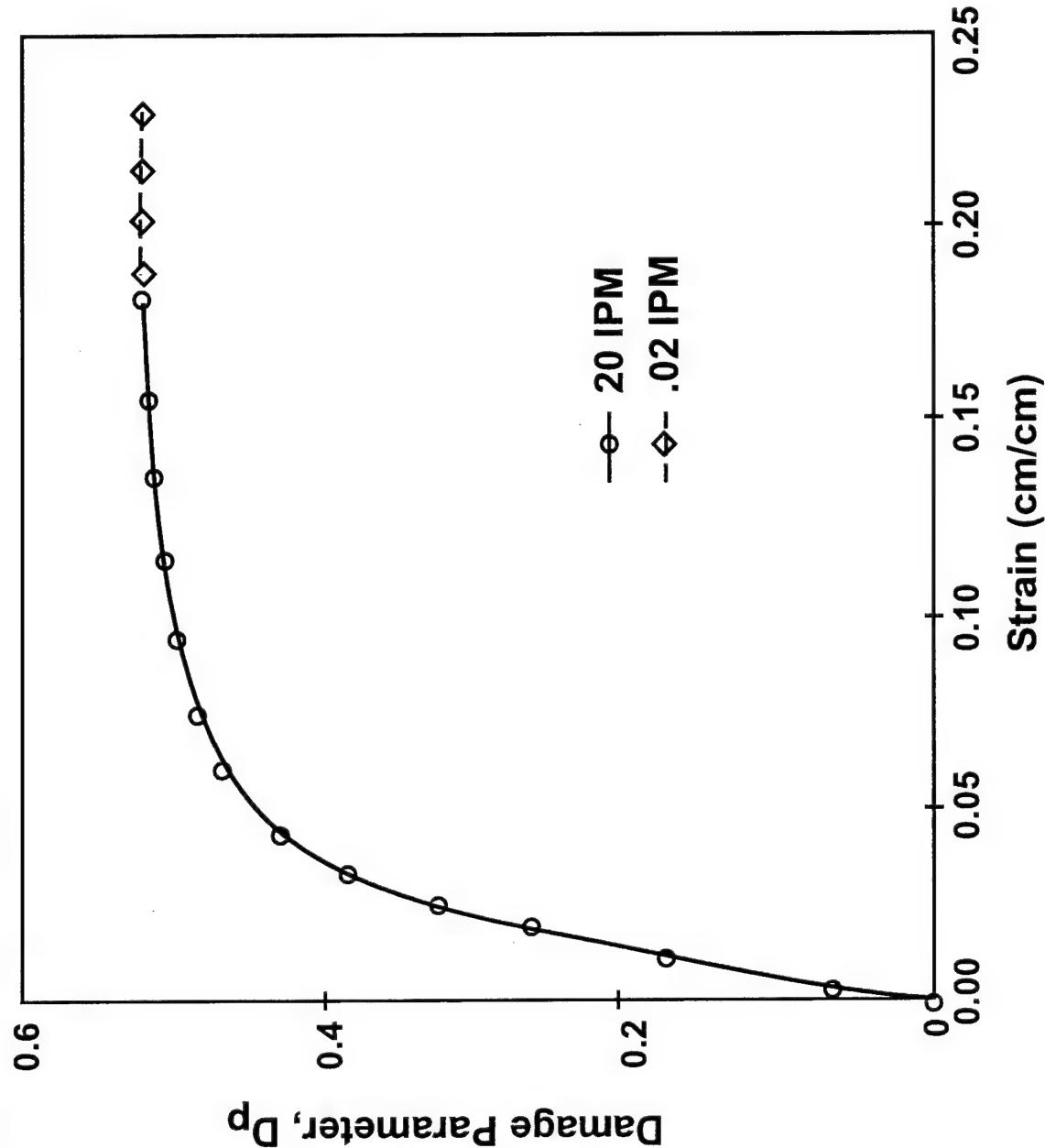


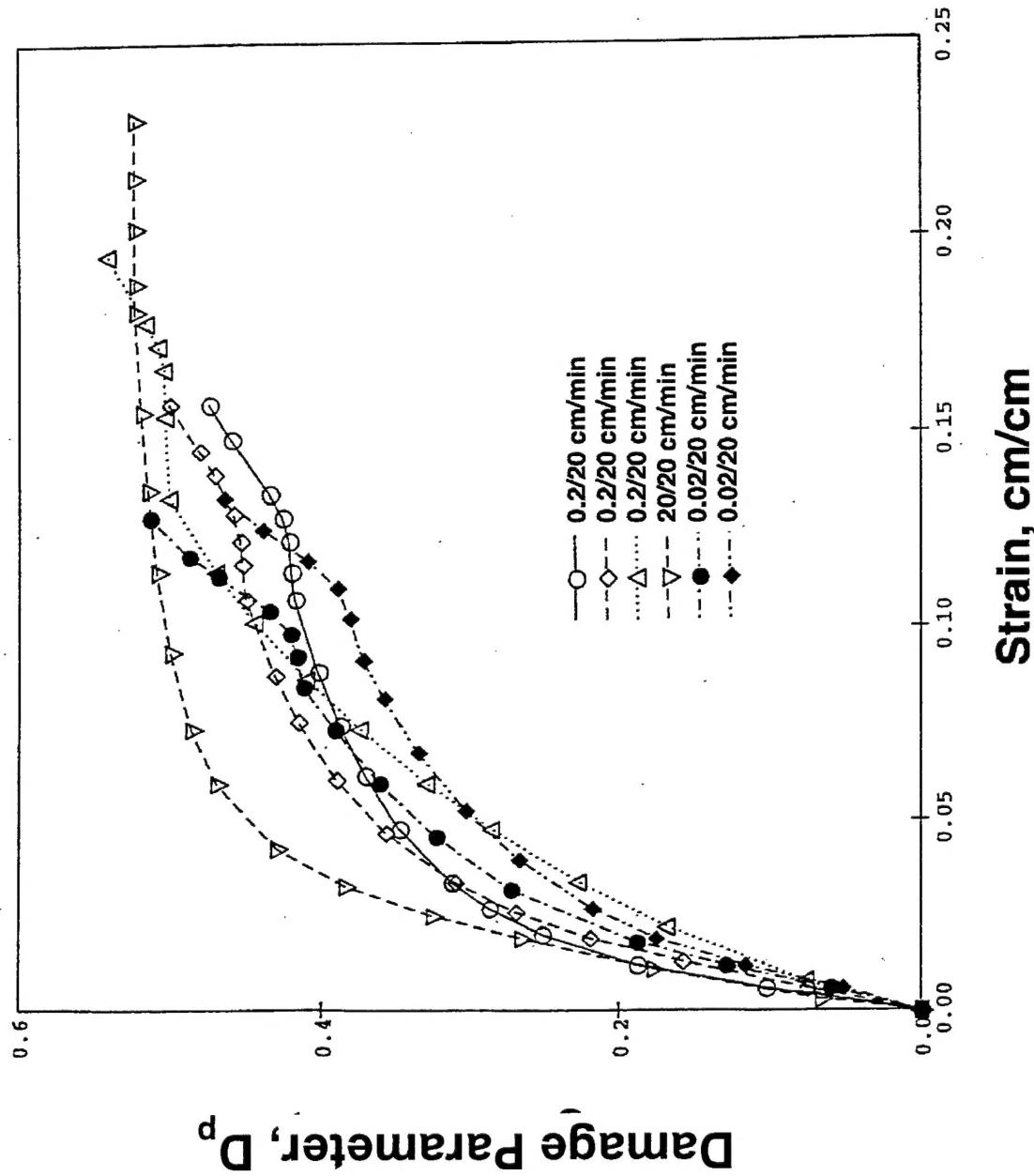


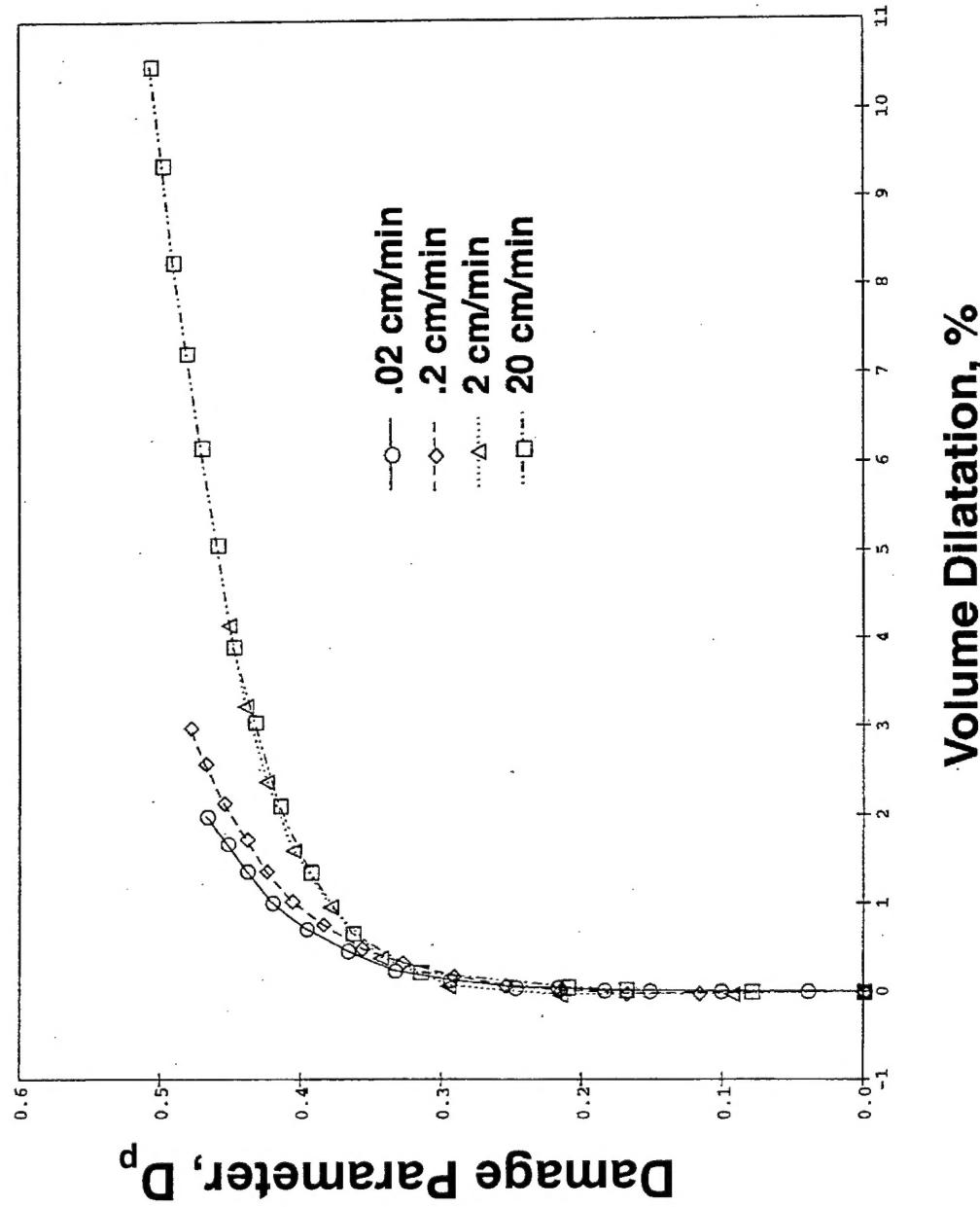


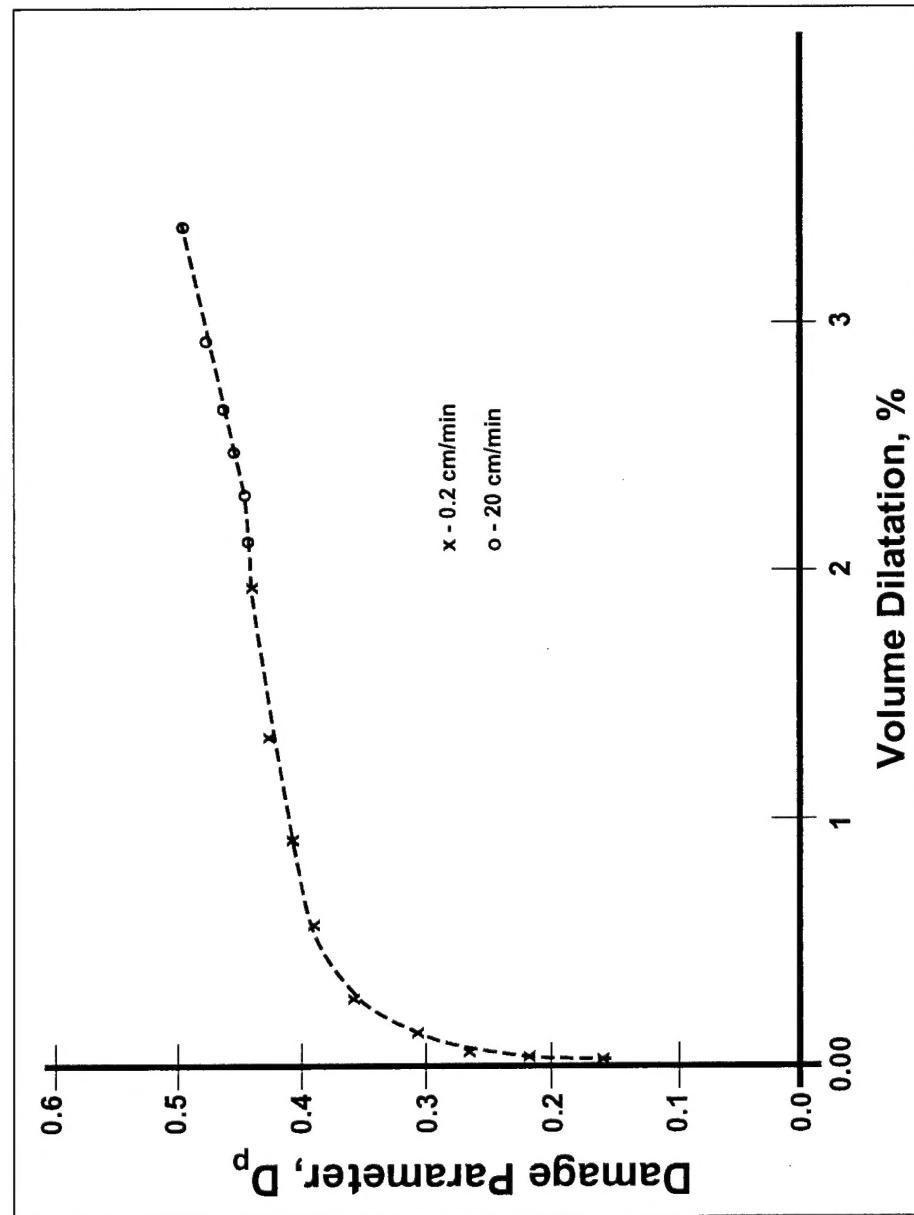
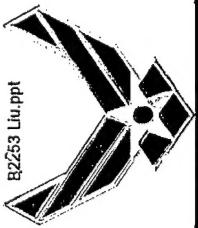


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# Conclusions:

- For a given time, displacement rate has a significant effect on the damage intensity.
- The critical damage intensity is insensitive to the displacement rate and loading history.
- A good correlation exists between damage intensity and volume dilatation.
- The phenomenological damage parameter correlates well with the micromechanics damage parameter

